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INVESTOR PRESENTATION – FULL YEAR 2011
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Highlights



1. Strong Consumer Demand Drives Growth in Turnover in Major Key Markets
 - Group turnover up 22% to \$353.9m from \$289.4m
 - Major increases in all major markets
 - Operating profit up 3.6 times to \$18.3 million from \$5.1 million
 - Margins up to 43% from 41%
2. 55% gain in net profit after tax
 - Net profit after tax rose to \$12.8m from \$8.3m despite \$0.3m foreign exchange loss (vs. gain of \$4.4m in FY10)
3. Increased efficiency
 - Cost to revenue ratio improved to 39% from 42% in FY10
4. Strong Balance Sheet with Good Cash Flow
 - 6% net gearing
 - Net cash generated from operating activities at \$7.0m
 - Directors recommend dividend of 2 cents per share

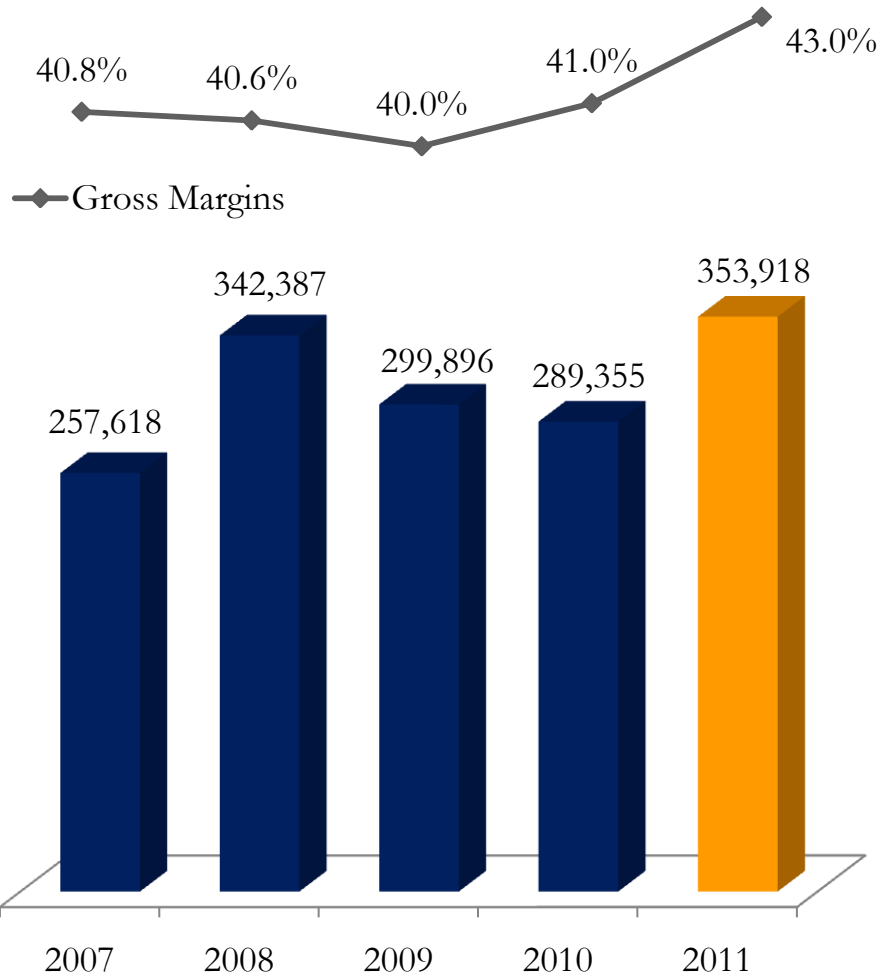


1. Strong Growth in Turnover

Turnover

Turnover & Gross Margin

S\$ '000



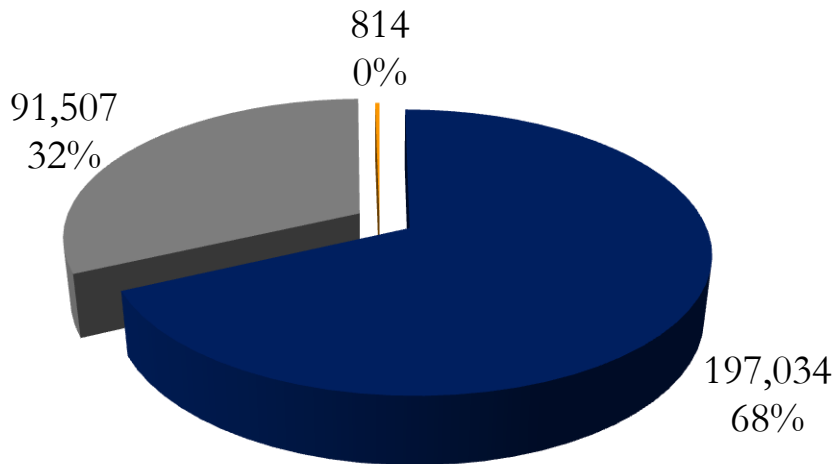
Strong Consumer Demand Drives Growth in Turnover in Major Key Markets

- Group turnover up 22% to \$353.9m from \$289.4m
- Margins up to 43% from 41% with improved quality of full price business
- South-east Asia (excluding Indo) grew 16% to \$283.9m from \$244.9m
- Strong growth in North Asia - 69% to \$68.6m from \$40.7m in FY10
- Sales in Indonesia up 7%

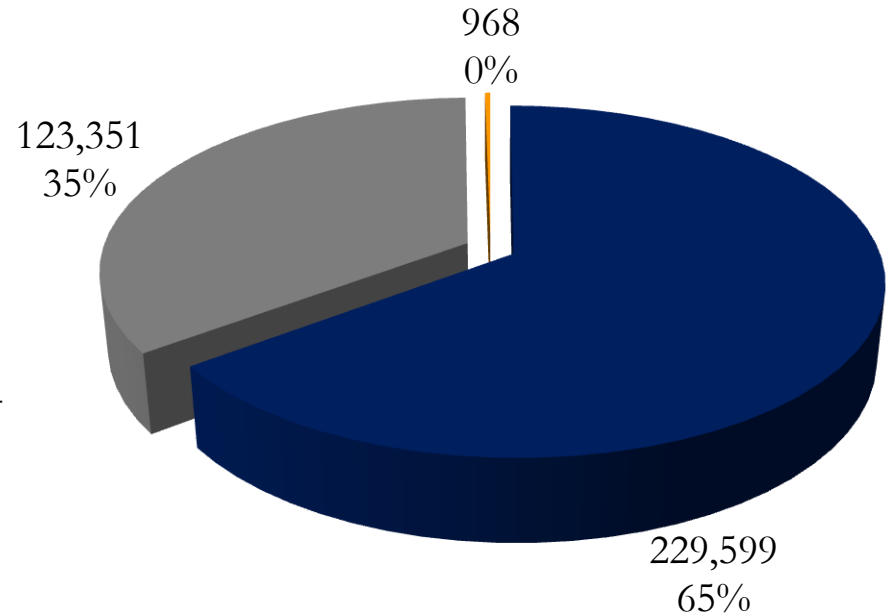
Turnover

(\$'000)

FY 2010



FY 2011



■ Fashions ■ Timepieces ■ Licensing

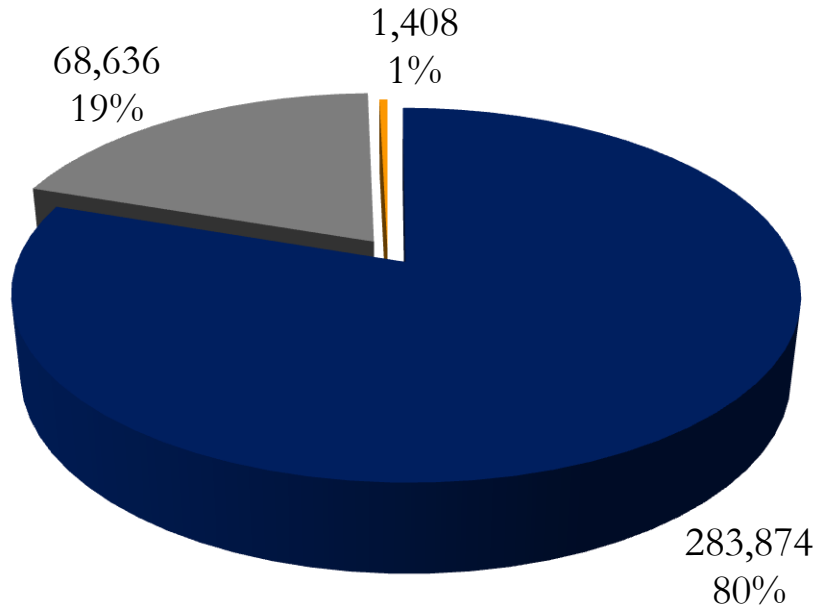
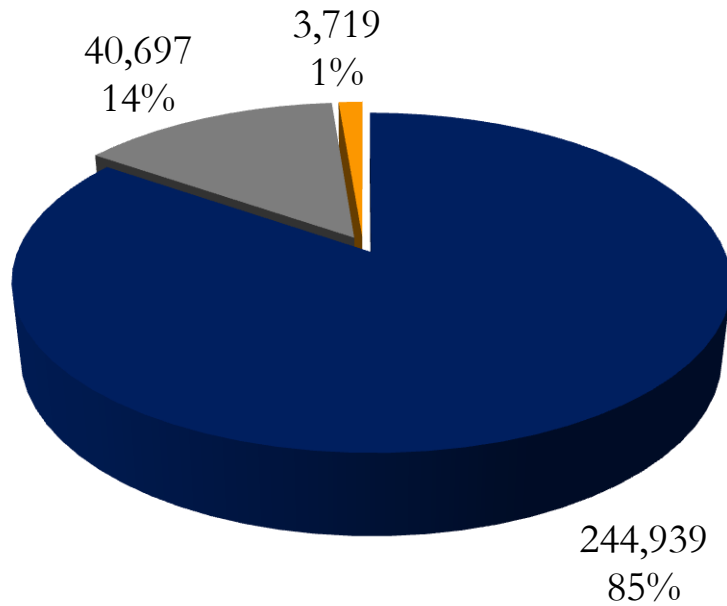
By Business Segment

Turnover

(\$'000)

FY 2010

FY 2011



■ Southeast Asia ■ North Asia ■ Others

By Geography



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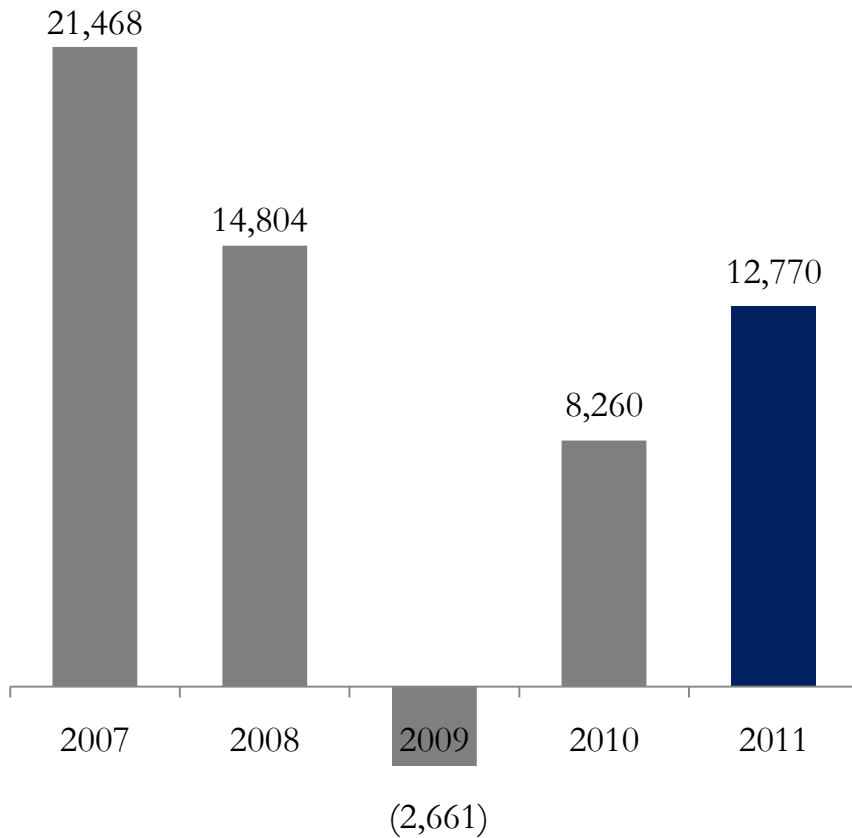


2. *Strong Bottomline Growth*

Net Profit

Net Profit After Tax

S\$ '000



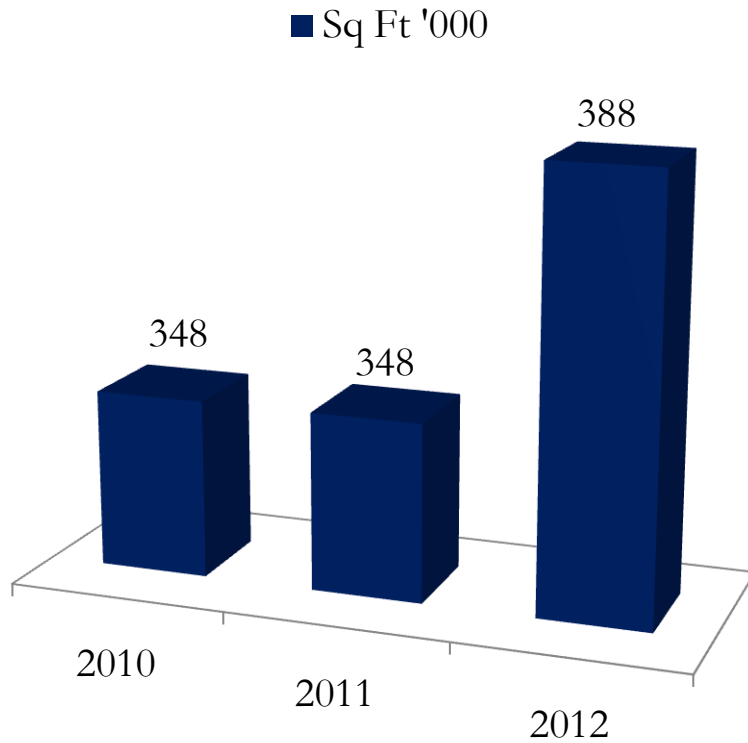
- Net profit surges 55% to \$12.8m from \$8.3m
 - Operating profit up 3.6 times to \$18.3m from \$5.1m showing a much improved quality of business
 - Excluding exchange gain and losses, profit after tax increased 3.4 times to \$13.0m from \$3.8m

Financial Highlights

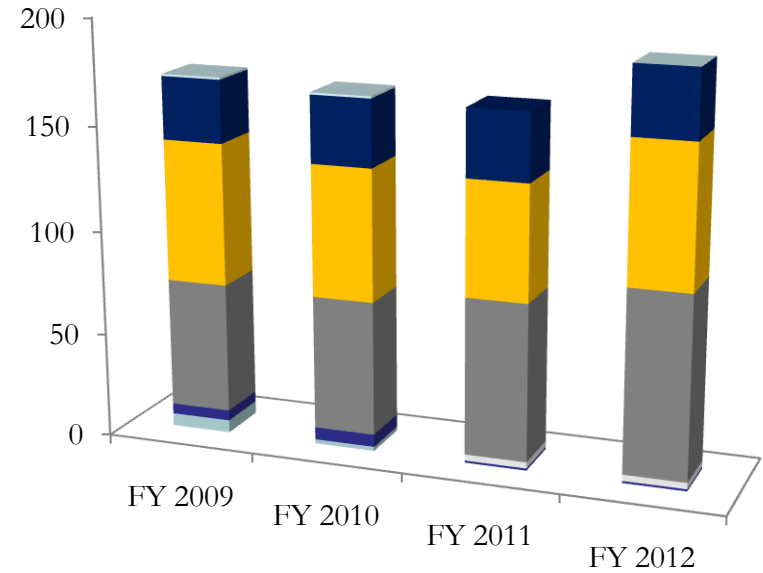
<i>S\$'000</i>	<i>FY 11</i>	<i>FY 10</i>	<i>Variance</i>	<i>%</i>
Turnover	353,918	289,355	64,563	22
Gross margin	43%	41%		
Operating expenses	139,104	120,170	18,934	16
Operating profit	18,293	5,076	13,217	nm
Foreign exchange (loss) / gain	(252)	4,423	(4,675)	nm
Net Profit After Tax	12,770	8,260	4,510	55

Retail Footprint

TOTAL SQUARE FOOTAGE¹



NUMBER OF STORES¹



	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012
Taiwan	1	1	0	0
Singapore	30	32	32	32
Malaysia	68	63	55	67
Indonesia	62	64	75	87
Hong Kong	0	0	3	3
Australia	5	6	1	1
Thailand	6	2	0	0

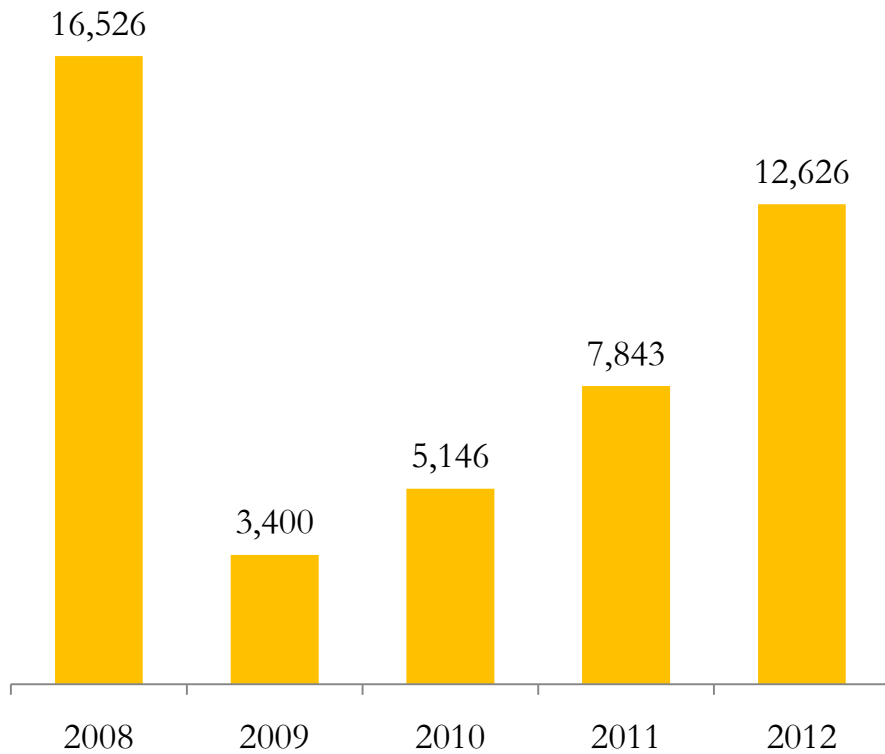
Total 172 168 166 190

¹ Estimates as at Aug 2011 and are subject to change

Capital Expenditure

CAPEX

S\$ '000



Capex projected to increase for 2012

- Improvement and refurbishment to stores to increase productivity and appeal
- New stores to open in Indonesia and Malaysia in key new malls
- Opening of sourcing base in Shenzhen to improve supply chain efficiency



3. Increased Efficiency



Expenses

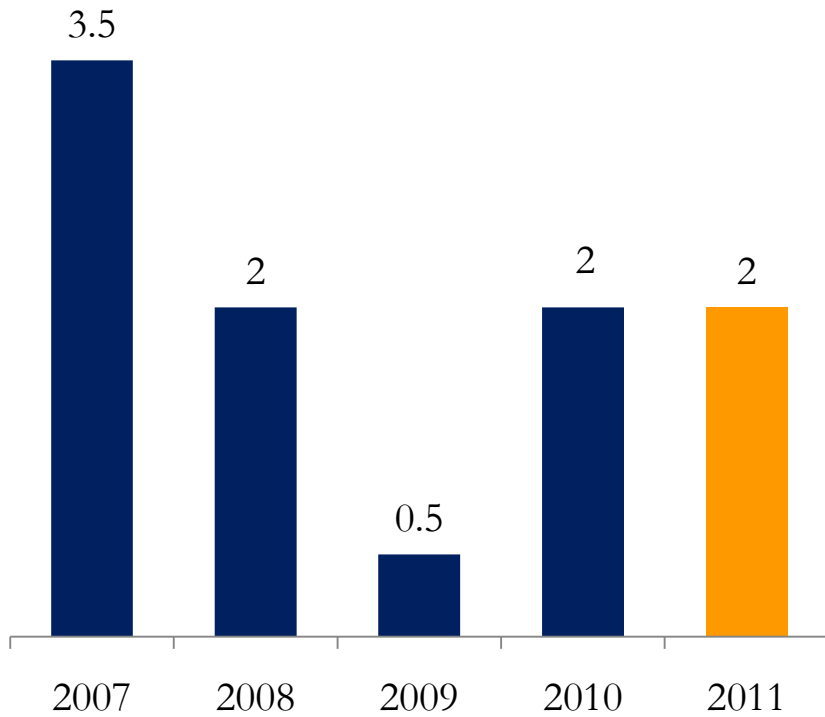
3. Cost-to-revenue ratio improves to 39% from 42%
- Operating expenses increase 16% to \$139.1m
 - Main increase from Advertising and Promotion to launch new brands and drive sales during key festive periods
 - Also expansion of marketing team with creation of digital marketing unit to increase relevancy, drive innovation and improve marketing ROIs



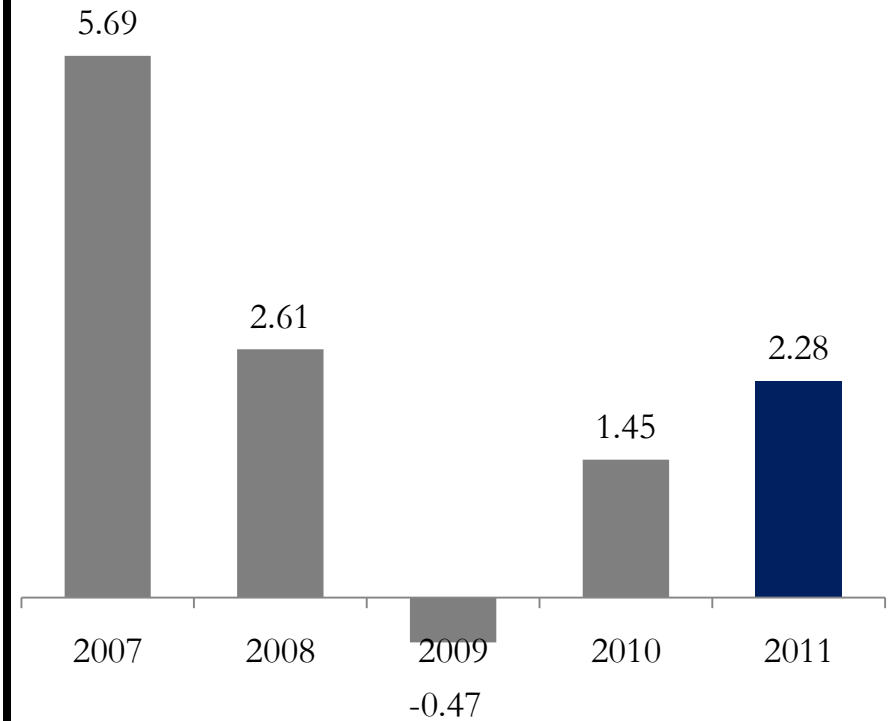
4. *Strong Balance Sheet*

Fundamentals

Dividend Per Share
cents



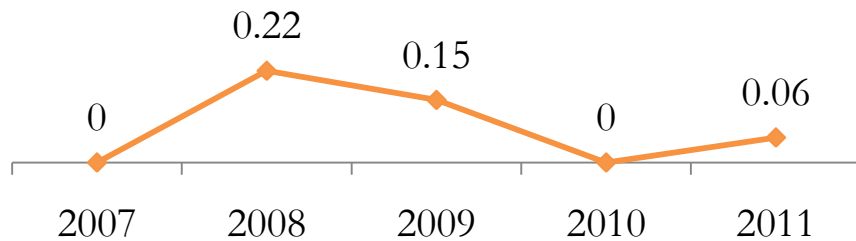
Earnings Per Share
cents



Fundamentals

Net Debt/Equity

(x)



LOW NET GEARING

- Net gearing low at 6%

NET CASH GENERATED

- Net cash generated from operating activities remained positive at \$7.0 million



Outlook

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Growth opportunities

- Plans to grow the organic business in various territories with caution
- Sentiment continues to hold firm but uncertainty could soften sentiment
- Continue expansion of brand portfolio
- Introduction of Goyard to Singapore after success of Hong Kong

Increased productivity

- Increasing productivity of stores by driving the
 - sales per square foot,
 - average transaction value
 - conversion
- Better ROIs for marketing dollar
- Tighter inventory management and continue vigilant cost control for the next FY

Outlook



RAOUL expansion

- Orders from key retailers in the US and Europe including Selfridges, Fenwick, Joseph, Matches, Flannels, Saks Direct, Neiman Marcus
- Good press and editorial coverage giving rise to brand demand
- Opening showroom in Milan to expand European presence

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